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MEDIA ADVISORY

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Chairman Greg Cox
In the Coming Week

ENJOYING THE GREAT OUTDOORS

Chairman Greg Cox will lead the celebration and ribbon cutting for new trails and staging areas in Otay Valley Regional Park. The project will open up more park lands for all San Diegans to enjoy.

10 a.m. Monday, March 17, Rios Avenue Staging Area, Chula Vista

NEW TRAILS FOR BICYCLISTS

Chairman Greg Cox will open a new bikeway that winds along the Sweetwater River in Bonita. The Plaza Bonita Bikeway Trail winds through mixed chaparral and coastal sage, and across the western staging area of Sweetwater Regional Park.

1:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 19, Western Staging Area of Sweetwater Regional Park, Bonita.

HELPING HEART ATTACK VICTIMS

Chairman Greg Cox will unveil the results of a system implemented a year ago that dramatically improves the time heart attack victims wait for potentially lifesaving treatment. The system enables paramedics in the field to better identify a specific type of heart attack by using 12-lead electrocardiogram (EKG) equipment. The system has reduced the wait time for catheterizing patients – the process of opening clogged arteries – almost in half.

10:30 a.m. Friday, March 21, County Administration Center, 1600 Pacific Highway, San Diego

Editor's Note: There may be an unscheduled press conference to announce new developments in Chairman Cox's efforts to prevent the federal government from moving a cache of emergency medical supplies from San Diego to Los Angeles.

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